



In re application of

Serial No.: 10/821,681

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Examiner: Krista M. Flanagan

Dear Sir:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which follow the Amendments to the Specification.

**Amendments to the Drawings** are included as attachments to this Response, and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

**Remarks/Arguments** follow the amendment sections of this paper.

**An Appendix** including amended drawing figures is attached.